

The People's
Column

Discussion of good roads and the need for this improvement is reported by the Chamber of Commerce. It is a topic that is frequently discussed both in city and county and the need for improvement becomes more pressing here, by comparison of what we have not, in this respect, with what some of our neighboring counties have and are planning to build.

Brazos and Burleson counties are further behind in good road building, perhaps than any others in the eastern part of Texas. This should not be the case. Both are agricultural counties and in both it is necessary to carry farm products for comparatively long distances to market points. Both farmers and business men should be interested in making this haul as easy and as short as possible, as well as making it possible for farmers to get to their market points often and without great loss of time.

The matter is of primary importance to the development of both city and country and we hope that some of these days a plan is worked out that eventually will lift Brazos out of the mud.

ABOUT
BRYAN

The Eagle's desk is decorated today with a huge bunch of cape jasmynes, a gift of Mrs. W. F. Miller. Some are full blooms, some partially so and some just buds, showing the beauty of these blossoms at every stage in their growth. Mrs. Miller has nine of these bushes and they are literally banks of snow flake blossoms, attracting every passer-by. These plants were grown from mere cuttings, and are tangible evidence of what Brazos county can produce.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Young and Misses Delia and Susie Smith, all of Thordale, spent today in Bryan, shopping with the local merchants and visiting friends. They motored over to Bryan this morning and report the roads in fine shape. They returned to Thordale late this afternoon.

A. L. Lyle, prominent banker and business man of Temple, is here on business. While here he is a guest at the LaSalle Hotel and in conference with A. C. Steagall, who is filling the contract for paving Bryan streets.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burns of Caldwell were shopping in Bryan this morning and at the same time Mr. Burns, who is a breeder and fancier of registered Jersey cattle, was making some inquiries concerning high grade Jersey herds in the vicinity of Bryan.

Seventeen Bills
Are Reported by
May Grand Jury

The Brazos county grand jury, convened by Judge W. C. Davis Monday morning, reported Wednesday afternoon. A total of 17 indictments were found, one being a misdemeanor case and the remaining sixteen felonies.

Alleged violations of the prohibition laws are the most numerous of the cases to be placed on trial. Of the sixteen felonies ten are of this class. The others are three forgeries, one murder and one assault with intent to murder.

Five Graduates
To Get Diplomas
At Villa Maria

The opening event in the commencement program for Villa Maria Academy will be the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. J. B. Gleissner in the chapel at 5 o'clock p. m. on Sunday.

The graduation exercises will be held on Wednesday evening at 8:15 in the auditorium at which time diplomas of graduation will be awarded to Jewell McCulloch of Bryan, valedictorian; Nellie Lee Eaves, Bryan, salutatorian; Mary Vitopil, Bryan, poet; Delia Konecny, Bryan, essayist; and Marguerite Thompson, Dallas, prophet. Grammar school certificates will be awarded to Misses Olga and Katharine Voight of Galveston. The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend these exercises.

COTTON MARKET

The cotton market was off today. Futures closed from 20 to 25 points down and local spots also dropped, being quoted from 17.25

HIGH GAS TAX
LOW AUTO FEE
IS PREDICTED

Speaker Barron Talks
About Highway
Financing

APPROPRIATION BILLS

Come Up and Utility
Measure May Be
Revived

"Highway financing will be the feature as well as the important legislation before the second extra session to convene Monday, June 3," said Speaker W. S. Barron this morning, after his return home from Austin last night. "Of course the appropriation bills will be up and there is a likelihood that an effort will be made to force the public utilities bill through for action," he concluded.

Speaking of the matter of highway financing the speaker predicted a cut in registration fees of approximately 35 per cent and an increase of the gasoline tax to four cents per gallon. He stated that he had had a conference with Governor Dan Moody before leaving Austin, at which other members of the legislature were present, and that this was the impression he gained not only from the conference but from his observation of and talks with members of the house and senate.

Two Income Sources
After the conference Speaker Barron said: "There are only two ways to get funds for the highways. One from motor vehicle

Tax Assessments
Being Equalized
By County Court

Property holders of Brazos county whose assessment for purposes of taxation may be raised by the county commissioners court, sitting this week and next as a board of equalization, will be notified to appear before the June meeting of the board, which will convene Monday, June 10, and show cause why the increases should not be made.

The commissioners have been working on the tax rolls all of this week and will continue this work next week, in an effort to equalize taxation among the property owners of the county.

Student of Iowa
Adjudged Winner
Of Downs Medal

COLLEGE STATION, May 22.—B. A. Clutter Jr., of What Cheer, Iowa, was adjudged winner of the fifth annual P. L. Downs oratorical contest, held in the Assembly Hall at the A. & M. College of Texas Tuesday night. M. D. Haydari, of Baghdad, Iraq, received honorable mention.

Col. P. L. Downs, of Temple, graduate of A. & M. College of Texas with the class of 1879, donor of gold medal offered for winner of the contest, presided and the attendance, estimated at 1,000, was the largest in the history of the contest.

Judges were A. D. Jackson, E. R. Alexander and J. J. Woolket. Speakers in addition to those mentioned who participated included: R. C. Moore, Temple; P. L. Tracy, Houston; R. N. Talbot, Miles; O. H. Sullivan, Silsbee; J. R. Powell, Red Oak.

Eden Wins Suit;
Case Is Settled
By Defendants

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Mr. Eden alleged injuries received when he fell from the ladder of an oil tank car, which had been switched for unloading at his place of business. It was alleged the ladder was not in condition for use, hence the accident.

Chicago Officer
Shot to Death;
Second in Week

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, May 22.—Sergeant Joseph Sullivan of the detective bureau was found shot to death in an automobile here today.

Sullivan was a member of the squad working on the Blumenthal kidnapping case and the resultant slaying of Sergeant Ray Mart a week ago.

BURNING MAIL
PLANE LANDED
WITH SAFETY

SHIP DESTROYED BUT SEVEN
PASSENGERS AND 2
PILOTS SAFE

(By Associated Press)
ELKO, Nev., May 22.—Seven airplane passengers and two pilots came through a spectacular accident without injury near here today when a westbound mail transport caught fire in midair and made a forced landing and burned in its tracks.

Chief Pilot Hugh Barker pointed the plane downward after one motor had failed and had set fire to the left wing.

Despite the hurried landing the plane alighted on a level spot and the occupants clambered to safety. The mail and other things aboard, however, were burned.

Goodbye Is Said
By Bible Class
To Mrs. Beaird

To say "goodbye" to their class president, Mrs. N. A. Beaird, and to attend to the routine of class business and enjoy a social hour, the members of the Lily Myers Bible Class of the First Baptist Sunday School held a delightful evening party Tuesday at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Henry S. Locke on South College avenue with Mrs. Locke, Mrs. Bill Wimberly, Mrs. J. L. Cobb, Mrs. Jimmie Page and Mrs. N. F. Lockard as joint hostesses.

Mrs. Beaird was given a love "shower" of beautiful handkerchiefs, with a "good wish" pinned to each handkerchief, from the members of the class. Mrs. N. A. Stewart was elected president of the class to fill out the unexpired term of Mrs. Beaird.

A delicious refreshment plate and iced fruit punch was served. Those present, besides the list of hostesses, were: Mrs. C. C. Vick, Mrs. J. H. Conway, Mrs. G. R. Branch, Mrs. R. E. Day, Mrs. H. L. Durham, Mrs. P. S. Park, Mrs. W. C. Fountain, Mrs. J. G. Minckert, Mrs. August Anderson, Mrs. N. A. Stewart.

Grand Officers
Of Eastern Star
Here Saturday

Bryan Chapter No. 222 Order of the Eastern Star, will entertain a group of grand officers of the jurisdiction of Texas on Saturday evening, and preparations are being made to make this a gala occasion among members of that order.

Mrs. R. L. Brown, district deputy grand matron for District No. 4, is a member of Bryan Chapter and additional grand officers who have been extended an invitation to be present on Saturday evening are Mrs. Birdie J. Easterling, Del Rio, worthy grand matron; W. Gregory Hatcher, Austin, worthy grand patron; Mrs. Belle Tomlinson, Wallin, associate grand conductress; Mrs. Freda Bernhardt, Dallas, district deputy grand matron, District 1; Mrs. Bertha Burt, Houston, grand examiner; Mrs. Esther Pickard, Dallas, Grand Ada; and Mrs. Mady King, Houston, Grand Ruth.

The officers of Bryan chapter will conduct initiatory work under inspection of the grand officers and a social hour will bring Saturday night's program to a close.

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\$84,500 SUIT
FOR DAMAGES
HEARD TODAY

Turkish Student At
A. & M. College
Defendant

FILED BY S. D. PEARCE

Alleges Broken Back
From Careless
Driving

Damages in the sum of \$84,500, making it one of the largest demands in the history of the Brazos county court, are asked of R. A. Doughromaji, a Turkish student at A. & M. College by S. D. Pearce, formerly executive secretary of the Feed Control division of the Extension Service department, in a damage suit that went on trial today before District Judge W. C. Davis.

The bill of damages sought specifies the following items: \$50 for damage to car; \$2,450 for doctors and nurses fees and other such expenses; \$72,000 for personal injuries suffered; \$10,000 exemplary damages.

The suit is based on injuries said to have been suffered by Pearce Oct. 29, 1927, when the defendant collided with him as he was driving to work. Careless and incompetent driving on the part of the defendant are alleged.

Pearce suffered fractures of the spinal vertebrae, it is said, and for months was in a plaster cast and now is able to be out in a wheeled chair. Complete recovery is said by his physicians to be highly improbable.

Doughromaji has been prominent among the foreign students at A. & M. and for the past year has been president of the Cosmopolitan Club, an organization of foreign students. His father, living in Mesopotamia, is said to be a wealthy and prominent resident of that country.

A number of witnesses were introduced by the plaintiff this morning among them being Mr. Pearce, Dr. B. U. Sims and Dr. May McAdams.

The plaintiff is represented by Barron and Ware and Henderson and Hoyle while Col. C. C. Todd represents the defendant.

Plan Road Work
In MidSummer;
Impossible Now

The Mumford and Ferguson Crossing roads, about which a committee from the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce called on the county commissioners court yesterday, will not be put in shape before August 1, according to a statement made this morning as the roads and adjoining land will not be dry enough to permit work before that time, even though there be no more excessive rainfall.

It is the plan to raise the grade of these roads about one foot, but nothing can be done until they dry out and until road working machinery may be used without danger of bogging. The soil is said to be a type of gumbo formation that is almost impossible to work when saturated with moisture.

Louisiana Man
Will Be Named
On Ship Board

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—President Hoover has decided to reappoint Dr. E. Smith of Louisiana to the shipping board. Smith's present term will expire shortly. Texas senators had called at the White House this week to urge the appointment of W. E. Lea of Orange, Texas, to the post.

Morrow Family
Leaves Maine in
Lindy's Plane

(By Associated Press)
NORTH HAVEN, Me., May 22.—Col. Charles Lindbergh, and other members of the Morrow family left the Morrow summer home here today after a visit of four days. They departed in the Colonel's plane.

Chosen Chairman of
Ministerial Body

REV. R. S. MARSHALL

Pastor of the First Methodist church who was made the presiding officer for the ensuing year of the Bryan Pastors' Conference. He succeeds Dr. Thomas Gordon Watts of the First Presbyterian church.

HOOVER CALLS
GOVERNORS TO
CONSERVE OIL

HEADS WESTERN STATES
IN BIG PRODUCTION
ASKED TO MEET

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 22.—President Hoover has invited the governors of western oil producing states to send representatives to a preliminary conference at Colorado Springs June 10 to consider the possibility of creating an interstate compact for the conservation of oil.

This announcement was made today at the White House. The president's action was made upon the recommendation of the federal oil conservation board.

Methodist Men
Elect Officers;
Lawrence Head

Officers were elected Tuesday night at the regular meeting of the Methodist Brotherhood. The ticket reported by the nominating committee, which was voted unanimously was Dr. W. H. Lawrence, president; W. R. Fairman, vice-president; R. C. Franks, secretary; C. L. Curlee, treasurer.

Dr. Lawrence announced that he proposed to make each officer the head of a department of activity, with the authority to draft any committee he might desire. Vice-President Fairman was placed in charge of programs; Secretary Franks was given charge of publicity and all records, and Treasurer Curlee will have charge of ticket funds and other finances.

The meeting last night was addressed by Rev. B. C. Anderson of Madisonville and Mrs. Helen Lake Clutter of Austin, who discussed the county free library plan.

A bountiful and appetizing supper prepared by ladies of the missionary group, was enjoyed.

Train Kills Man
Crossing Tracks

(By Associated Press)
HOUSTON, May 22.—Jack Lender, aged 66, was killed today by a train as he was crossing railroad tracks in Harrisburg, a Houston suburb.

Improved Harvesting Machinery
Gives Wheat Farmers Puzzling
Problems in Handling of Crop

(By Associated Press)
KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 22.—Southwestern wheat farmers, preparing to take from 40,000,000 to 50,000,000 bushels of the nation's estimated 1929 winter wheat crop of 595,335,000 bushels are facing new transportation and storage problems, the result of "combine" harvesting.

The machines which thresh as they reap have eliminated many of the old labor distresses and speeded up the harvest but may also throw suddenly on the market, beginning early in June, enough wheat to lower prices. And millions of bushels might be left in the Morrow summer home here today after a visit of four days. They departed in the Colonel's plane.

FORT WORTH
STILL ALOFT
FOR RECORD

Got Halfway to Mark
At 3:30 o'Clock
Today

ONE RECORD BROKEN

Mark For Two Man
Crew Already
Passed

FORT WORTH, May 22.—The halfway mark in the flight of the "Fort Worth" towards its goal, a new world's record for sustained flight is being approached by Reg Robbins and James Kelly. The seventh refueling of their monoplane was accomplished this morning.

At 11:33 today the "Fort Worth" had been in the air 72 hours. At 3:33 this afternoon the monoplane will be in the air 76 hours or half the time it will have to remain aloft to equal the record set by the army plane "Question Mark."

The plane passed the record for a two man crew flight last night. "The Question Mark" carried a crew of five.

Smetana School
Has Record for
Health Buttons

Smetana school, which held its closing exercises with three graduates last night, had a larger number of pupils who were awarded health buttons than any other school in the county, according to the announcement made at the time of presentation by Miss Ella Bandelin, county health nurse.

The three graduates were Bessie Eemie Emil McKalip and Anton Zamenek, who were given their diplomas by C. L. Beason, county agent, after an address in which he stressed the importance of education for the farm boys and girls of today who will be the farmers and farm wives of tomorrow.

A talk on the importance of the free county library was made by Mrs. Helen Lake Clutter of Austin, who is in Brazos county this week to lend impetus to this movement. The plan also was endorsed by Mr. Beason by County Superintendent F. M. Vance and by J. D. Martin, principal of the school.

The pupils given health buttons were Ethel Franchin, Mike Piccolo, Lena Banjo, Johnnie Kubin, Tony Piccolo, Lottie Regmund, Victoria Regmund, Willie Turek, Betty Zamanek, Bennett McKalips, Frank Stabler Annie Zamanek, Albina Turek, Frances Burt and Ima May Franklin.

After the graduation exercises a play was staged by pupils of the school in which the various roles were well played and then a dance was enjoyed. Music for the exercises and the dance was furnished by Joe Regmund and Frank Kubin.

RUSK MAN IS KILLED
IN FAMILY QUARREL

(By Associated Press)
RUSK, May 22.—W. L. Lofton was shot and killed with a double-barrel shotgun at Maydelle, ten miles west of here.

Bud Samples, Lofton's brother-in-law, was arrested and charged with murder.

The men had disagreed several days ago over a family matter, it was said.

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Murder of Three
Is Confessed by
Minnesota Man

(By Associated Press)
WASECA, Minn., May 22.—Joe Mymaster, aged 33, of Hopkins, Minnesota, confessed last night to the authorities that he had killed Julius Schuch, aged 54, and the latter's two children at Schuch's farm house Saturday. Details of the slayings were not divulged.

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ANNUAL SALE SATURDAY
TO PROVIDE RELIEF
WORK FUNDS

Honor the dead and serve the living! This is the battle cry with which the local merican Legion Post and its Auxiliary is going into the Poppy Sale to be held next Saturday, May 25.

The double purpose of the sale is to honor the memory of World war dead, and to provide funds for the living victims of the war throughout the coming year.

Since rehabilitation and relief work for the coming year depends largely on the success of the sale, the local unit is endeavoring to make the sale successful.

A sympathetic understanding of the poppy sale on the part of the public is regarded as the first essential to a successful sale. The public must understand that the poppy sale is not just a "tag day."

Local workers in advance of the sale are meeting with a fine response. Merchants have gladly placed in their windows posters and poppies for display. Morris Schulman has consented to run a film with his regular picture shows showing men marching to war, disabled veterans in the hospitals making the poppies, and the purposes for which the funds are expended. This film will be shown daily. Pastors of Bryan and College Station made announcement of the sale from the pulpit Sunday. All indications are that the workers next Saturday will be met with a smile, and that the response will be ready and generous.

P.T.A. Officers
Will Be Named
At Friday Meet

A special meeting of the Brazos County Parent-Teachers Association council is called by President Mrs. Elton Stuart, for Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock sharp at the high school cafeteria.

This meeting will hear the report of the nominating committee recently appointed to bring to the county council a suggested list of officers for the two newly created organizations, the High School P.T.A. and the Travis School P.T.A.

Every member of the P.T.A. is urged to be present to vote on the list of officers and begin the work of the new P.T.A. year.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

County Clerk Jess B. McGee yesterday issued a marriage license to Walter Syker and Birdie May Page.

Mumford School
Will Be Taught
By A-M Senior

L. J. Starr, a member of this year's graduating class at A. & M. College, has accepted a position as principal of the Mumford school for next year, succeeding Dixon L. Turner who is resigning to accept a position as county agent with the Extension Service at Granbury, Texas.

Mr. Starr is majoring in agronomy and in addition to his duties as principal of the school at Mumford he will have charge of classes in vocational agriculture. It is considered a mark of progress that rural schools in Brazos county are making provision for the teaching of agricultural subjects and placing in charge men and women who have been trained in rural economics and subjects related to rural life.

QUARTET GETS
AWAY TAKING
ABOUT \$8000

Five Officers and Two
Customers Forced
Into Vault

WAR VETERANS TWO ARE IDENTIFIED

Alarm Not Given 'Til
Prisoners Escape
From Vault

(By Associated Press)
TEXARKANA, May 22.—Fearing five officers and two customers into a vault of the Miller County Bank and Trust Company here, four robbers today escaped with between \$7,000 and \$8,000 in currency.

A bookkeeper is said to have identified two of the robbers as residents of Texarkana.

Although the holdup occurred when the streets were crowded, the robbery was not suspected until four men dashed out and fled in an automobile. The alarm was not spread until the prisoners freed themselves from the vault.

PYTHIAN HOME
FOR AGED NOW
SOUGHT HERE

LOCAL LODGE PLANNING
CAMPAIGN FOR THIS
PURPOSE

Members of the Pythian lodges of Bryan who number about 350, now are laying plans and working to the end that the proposed Pythian State Home for the Aged may be located adjacent to or in Bryan. The matter of location may be decided at the 1930 meeting of the Grand Lodge, to be held at Mineral Wells, and Bryan Pythians hope to have a well developed campaign on before that time.

The first unit of the proposed home will represent an investment of about \$25,000 for the building alone and in time other units are bound to be added. The organization has other homes in the state that compare favorably with those erected in other states and it is expected that the proposed new home will be at least on a par with those already built.

The regular meeting of Brazos Lodge No. 64 was held last night and work in both page and esquire ranks was done. Fifty members were present, ranging in Pythianism from those of page rank to members of 35 to 40 years standing. Two of the old timers, E. J. Jenkins and Tyler Haswell were among those who made talks at the meeting. Other speakers included Judge W. C. Davis, F. L. Henderson and Guy F. Boyett.

The grand chancellor, recently chosen at the Port Arthur convention, is A. L. Leonard of Beaumont. He will name a committee to investigate sites for the proposed new home and report at the Mineral Wells meeting of the grand lodge. There is a prospect, it is said, that one member may be from one of the Bryan lodges.

Both the Brazos lodge and Bryan Lodge No. 476 are deeply interested in the prospect of locating the home in this county and will work as a unit to this end.

Heavy Rainfall
Here Last Week;
Five Wet Days

More than four inches of rain fell during last week, according to the record kept at A. & M. College. The total precipitation, recorded on five of the seven days of the week, was 4.21 inches. The maximum temperature during the week was 83 degrees, noted Friday, while the low was Sunday, when the mercury dropped to 56 degrees. The greatest variation was on Friday when the temperature ranged from 83 to 60 degrees.

The record for the week was:

| | Max. Min. |
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| Monday | 75 65 |
| Tuesday | 82 67 |
| Wednesday | 80 67 |
| Thursday | 78 69 |
| Friday | 83 60 |
| Saturday | 78 63 |
| Sunday | 72 56 |

Rainfall was recorded as follows: Monday, 1.55; Wednesday, .9; Thursday, .71; Friday, .89; Saturday, .16.

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BRYAN WEEKLY EAGLE

General of the Republic at Bryan, Texas, May 22, 1929. The second class of the Bryan Weekly Eagle, March 4, 1929.

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| Six Months | \$8.00 |
| One Year | \$15.00 |
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"Let it be the high privilege of this great and free people to establish a republic where rural pride is equal to civic pride, where men of the most refined taste and culture select the rural villa, and where the wealth that comes from the soil finds its greatest return in developing and perfecting that great domain of nature which God has given to us as an everlasting estate." — Dr. Seaman A. Knapp.

WEAR A POPPY

Replicas of the blood red poppies that grow on Flanders fields will be offered for sale in Bryan Saturday by members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion. The purpose of the sale is two-fold. The poppies, made by the finger of men disabled in the World War, serve not only to commemorate the spirit of patriotism and self sacrifice with which the youth of America went into conflict, but also the money realized from the sale will go to give succor not only to the disabled and crippled veterans but also their wives and widows and children.

In all respects the cause is a worthy one. It is well that we have at least a yearly reminder of the fact that when duty calls the young men of this country always are prompt to respond and that the spirit which carried the struggles of the founders of the nation through to a successful culmination, still lives and still may be depended on to flame brightly and clearly when the need to rally to the support of the national honor develops.

It is equally fitting that we are given this opportunity to aid, in our small way, the men who bore the brunt of the fight, coming out from the hell and carnage of battle physically broken and unfit to further play the part of men and unable to take proper care of these dependent on them. What we may give for the poppy we should each year wear next Saturday goes for this purpose and it must be said that the Legion and its Auxiliary give a friendly and loving touch to the relief work they do that cannot be given to the work of the government agencies that care for the disabled soldiers and their dependents.

A year ago nearly \$900,000 was realized from the sale of poppies for relief work. This year it is hoped that the sum will run over the \$1,000,000 mark. There is need for the money and the record of the work that has been done with the funds already collected is so clear that there should be no hesitancy in contributing to this cause. Every Bryan resident should wear a poppy next Saturday.

A HIGHER FENCE

"Corona is not a bad boy. Some criminal told him that he was tough and the boy believed him. Corona is just a smart Aleck. If his mother had put a higher fence around his cradle he would be at home now and not in the penitentiary."

The above is the opinion of Warden E. F. Harrell of the Huntsville prison, of Tony Corona, young Houston bandit, less than 18 years of age who confessed to more than that many hoodlums and who is now serving a 250 year sentence in state prison. Unless he is pardoned or paroled this youth has the dreary prospect of a life behind prison walls.

It is likely that in the beginning Tony was about as other boys. He may have had a little more of the spirit of adventure and a little less love for books; a little more rebellion at restraint and a little less ability to find pleasure and profit in a circumscribed activity. But there is no reason to believe that he was innately bad. Environment and association probably are at the seat of the difficulties which have beset this youth and which, more than likely, will dog his trail from now on.

The fate of Tony should give every parent, as well as every boy and girl, food for thought. The parents more than the children should ponder the matter. There has been much said of the youth of the present age and comparisons altogether unfavorable to our younger generation have been made with that of a third of a century past.

But we doubt if there is much difference in the youth of the two periods. There is, however, a vast difference in their mode of living. The youth of the older generation found the home, in the large majority of cases, the real center of family life. Children of a group of families in social relation to each other made the home

of the circle their recreation and entertainment headquarters. Their amusements were without question less sophisticated and, perhaps, more innocent in some respects than in the case with the youth of the present day.

But the youth are not, in the final analysis, altogether to blame for this. It traces back, in many cases—perhaps in the larger number—to the fact that the youth have been thrown more nearly on their own. They have been forced to find and plan their own amusements and because of certain fundamental changes in methods of living in this age, too frequently the arena of this amusement has been outside the home circle.

It isn't a matter of restraint. Youth of every age has rebelled more or less at this. It wouldn't be youth if this were not the case. Instead we are inclined to believe that it is a matter of too little parental or friendly interest in youth's goings and comings and doings; too little effort on the part of the parent to help the youth learn by the experience of the older generation. In the words of Warden Harrell, the fence should be a bit higher, but it should be a friendly and not a spite fence.

BETTER DAIRY COWS BETTER PAY

Better cows pay better, says a bulletin of the American Farmers' Association agricultural committee.

"Why milk twelve poor cows when one good cow will do the work of the twelve?" asks the bulletin.

It declares that analysis of more than 100,000 individual yearly records from cows on test in dairy herd improvement associations indicate that on the average:

"Cows that produced 100 pounds butterfat a year returned \$14 each over feed cost.

"Cows that produced 200 pounds butterfat a year returned each \$54 each over feed cost.

"Cows that produced 300 pounds butterfat a year returned \$96 each over feed cost.

"Cows that produced 400 pounds butterfat a year returned \$138 each over feed cost.

"Cows that produced 500 pounds butterfat a year returned \$178 each over feed cost.

"In other words one 500-pound producer will return \$10 more over feed cost than twelve 100 pound producers. This does not take account either the added labor of milking and caring for the larger herd, or the much greater expense of providing stable room for a dozen instead of a single animal. The figures are based on farm prices from all parts of the country."

JUNE BRIDES MUST REGISTER

Those who are planning to marry in Texas during June had better set the wedding date before June 12, or be ready to file intention-to-marry certificates and wait three days before the nuptials take place. On that date, the new law governing the issuance of marriage licenses goes into effect, an effort to curb the growing number of hasty marriages and cause a decrease, if possible, in the growing divorce rate, which is largely due to unpremeditated weddings.

Not only do the bride and groom have to file a certificate of intention, but the groom must present a health certificate from a physician before the marriage license is issued. The happy couple not only will have time to consider their act, but the bride also will have assurance that her husband-to-be is free from venereal disease.

There are some who object to such restrictions on marriage, arguing that marriage is a God-given right and the government should not place bans on a citizen's right to mate. On the other hand, evidence which has been more abundant within the last decade, proves that such restrictions are reasonable and are not a hindrance to those who really wish to get married. Hasty marriages can still be performed in adjoining states, but these states before long will have adopted similar legislation.

No especial credit attaches to the spirit that prompted the objection to hanging a replica of the Texas A. and M. College service flag over the desk of the speaker of the Texas house. Objection was made by a former Texas University man on the basis that one state institution should not be singled out for honor. This was not done. Texas A. and M. paid a direct honor to both house and senate in giving each body a replica of its service flag, which is mute evidence of Texas heroism that should thrill the heart of any red blooded Texan. What would be more fitting is the presentation of the Texas U. service flag replica, that the two might hang together as a constant reminder that in times of national stress Texas and Texans are always to the fore and in the van of the fight.

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THE TOWN DOCTOR SAYS

HOW YOUR TOWN LOOKS IS IMPORTANT

What is there that some communities have that others lack, which makes the difference between compliments and criticisms—"that something" that invites you or repels and oppresses you—that difference which so distinguishes from the ordinary? It is largely a matter of that which, for want of a better name, has been termed by the advertising profession as "atmosphere."

Lack of "atmosphere in a town is that which is responsible for motorists going through your town without seeing it, or remembering it. How often have you heard the remark, referring to business houses, places of amusement and even homes—"It doesn't appeal to me, there's no atmosphere?"

How your town looks is important, for while people weigh values, they constantly compare towns. There are thousands who would go out of their way to patronize your town if the surroundings were such that created "atmosphere."

"Atmosphere" attracts, induces, tempts, allures, fascinates and impresses—it sells your town; while the absence of it in any community creates a pall and silence that shouts to the world, including its own inhabitants, "This place lacks what you are looking for."

In every section of this great land of ours, cities, towns and villages have, to a greater or less degree, thought of, talked about, and in many cases, started a Clean-up Campaign. To what extent it has been carried out depends upon the wide-awakeness of the people.

There is something about the first few days of every spring that gives us mortals an urge to shed ourselves of drab surroundings—to sort of "brighten the corner where we are," so to speak. Full of pep, enthusiasm and with fine ideas of doing big things, we materially add to the joy of the paint store man, the seed merchant and the seller of garden and yard tools, and it is fine for everybody. But our hands are soft, our backs are weak, and our will not too strong, and altogether too soon the glamor and incentive of the first days becomes the fever of the weeks and the job is left half done.

Verily, in a few short weeks many now tidy and much boasted of gardens will be but weed patches, unattended and forlorn. Likewise, many a Clean-up Week, widely heralded, urged and exploited by a loyal press, will pass with the May flowers unless you and your neighbors and all of their neighbors' neighbors recognize the real value and keep at it until it is done—and well.

Do not have a Clean-up Week—make it the year 'round, for your customers, from whence they may come, are becoming more critical—they demand "atmosphere," and there can be none without cleanliness all of the time.

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Tick Eradication Law Passed by Texas Legislature Is White Hope Of Agriculturists of East Texas

BY NELL BENTLEY

Whatever the present legislature may have left undone to be changed against it as sins of omission, the tick eradication law passed in almost the closing hours of the first called session, and which needs only the governor's signature to make it effective, may go down in the history of Texas as an outstanding bit of legislation. It is the "white hope" of the dairy industry in the southeastern section of the state, where for some reason, some thirty counties lying along the Brazos, Trinity and Sanbidge rivers were exempt from the terms of the law that provide for enforced dipping measures and thus became a preserve or refuge for the ticks.

Eradication has been successfully carried out over practically the entire state, except in this area and in counties bordering on it, but it is evident that dipping campaigns are futile where the natural boundaries and waterways are such as to allow reinfestation from high water and the migration of loose stock from infested territory. We rather surmise that the attractive features of free range in the river bottoms and the impracticability of dipping cattle that run at large in the waste land along such streams may furnish a clue to the reason why these thirty counties were held in exception to the law that provides for enforced dipping. However sound may have been the logic that determined such a course in the day of low grade, low priced beef cattle, the theory is obviously all wrong when high priced, high grade, high producing dairy cattle come into the picture; and if the dairy industry, as a solution of present economic problems in that section, is to make any material progress, the best in blood lines, production records and breeding possibilities must be brought into southeast Texas.

Tick Causes Heavy Loss

The economic loss from tick infestation is heavy enough under any circumstances to justify enforced eradication campaigns. Adult beef herds average 250 pounds heavier in tick free territory than in infested areas, and all hides from ticky territory are given an inferior grade on the leather markets. The greatest handicap, however, in the case of beef and dairy breeds, is the fact that adult animals may never safely be shipped from unfested territory into ticky territory and this greatly hampers the building up of herds through the introduction of improved breeding stock.

In the case of dairy cattle, the handicap that ticks offer in the matter of bringing in better breeding stock may be in a measure overcome by the purchase of young bloods and heifers from proven lines; bringing them into ticky territory during the winter months before they are one year old and giving the immunization treatment while the ticks are dormant. This is a slow method of herd building at best, and even from proven lines an animal some times fails to show production and reproduction qualities required in herd improvement work.

Milk Production Cut

Even with a light infestation of ticks, dairy cows do not hold up as

well in milk production and never reach the peak of production that would be possible in tick free territory. The loss of milk in cases of light infestation is estimated to average 1.2 pints per day per cow. In case of heavy tick infestation the loss of milk flow per cow averages as high as one-half gallon per cow per day. By dipping before the infestation reaches a point that would materially affect the milk flow, the loss of milk may be curtailed, but the expense of dipping must be deducted from the dairyman's profit and the dipping process itself slows up production for a few days each time it is administered.

Eradication Plan Fair

The recent action of the legislature which would divide the responsibility and expense of eradication between the state and the county by providing that vats be built at the expense of the county and dipping materials and supervision be provided from state funds is a fair and logical solution for the problem. This law provides that campaigns shall begin in the counties that lie between tick free areas and tick infested sections and shall proceed systematically toward the coast until all of the state has been cleared.

Work will not be begun in any county until the sentiment there gives assurance that there will be full cooperation between state and county forces. Moreover a minority of citizens in any county can not block eradication work after a majority have signified a desire to enter an eradication campaign.

With the dairy industry advancing in Texas to a point where business and agricultural experts declare it to be one of the important and dependable factors in the state's future industrial expansion, it is important that the section of Texas most affected by the recent tick eradication measure should be in a position as soon as possible to make a satisfactory transition from the old economic order established during the hey-day of profitable cotton production to the new methods and opportunities offered in a well developed, efficiently planned system of diversified farming which must combine cash crops with home grown feed supplies for livestock and poultry production.

Income Is Assured

With assured and constant market for dairy products established at key points in the state, the income from a farm herd of five cows of average production records will give the rural home a year around income that will make possible a remarkable improvement in living conditions and at the same time place the farmer in a position to increase his herd from year to year until the value of his herd, the income from salable products and from the sale of breeding animals will bring agriculture into its own as compared with other industries and occupations open to men and women of good

Business qualifications.

Experiments conducted and data compiled show that cotton farming when carried on constantly over a period of many years, always impoverishes the soil so that yields decrease steadily from year to year. Profit from cotton farming at best is possible only when cheap labor and cheap equipment are used, and when yields begin to decrease due to exhausted fertility the situation grows more and more hopeless, both for landlord and tenant, while social and civic development in rural sections becomes more and more difficult as living conditions grow less desirable.

A consistent and carefully mapped out transition from the vicious circle of agricultural programs which consist chiefly of producing a cotton crop and then securing sufficient credit to make another cotton crop, is offered to the community that begins a dairy development program with the advice of men who know the dairy business, the problems of dairy marketing and the principles of safe methods of finance. Pastures, hay crops, feed crops, buildings and equipment, dairy stock bred for production and reproduction, market facilities, and means of securing finance, are all to be considered in such a program.

Tick eradication work and educational programs that will inform both farmers and business men in the essentials of successful dairy development may all go on at one time and with excellent results. It is everybody's job. Let's get busy.

Prospect

The storm Friday night did considerable damage to growing crops blowing corn down flat and washing down cotton that had been chopped. However our farmers are now in their fields; corn has straightened up and the damage will soon be righted. Much wind accompanied the rain lifting the top of an old crib and blowing off cistern tops, which seem to be too badly battered for further use.

Ab Rice was called to Madison county Monday to attend the funeral of his brother.

Mrs. Ab Rice and Mrs. D. J. McDonald are on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Wilson and children attended Sunday School at Prospect Sunday afternoon and announced that Mrs. Helen Clutter of Austin would speak at Prospect Saturday evening, May 25 at eight o'clock in the interest of the County Free Library. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

A LADY-LIKE ONE

Just why I can't explain, But I never fail to cuss When'er I hear one use That word meticulous. —Sam Hill in Cincinnati Enquirer.

We've always like its sound— That word "meticulous." It's always seemed to us A classy sort of cuss. —J. Morgan Cook in Philadelphia Enquirer.

The man who kicks at that, Or so it seems to us, Although we may be wrong, Is too meticulous. —Houston Post-Dispatch.

The word "meticulous" Often serves us well, The only objection is It's rather hard to spell. —Mineral Wells Index.

"Meticulous" indeed! It makes us want to know Just why so small a word Should irritate one so. —Nell Bentley.

Normangee Star Takes Warpath On Road Matter

The Star had about decided to say nothing more about the Old San Antonio Road. Nobody seemed to take any interest in the matter. The law calls for 100 feet right of way its entire length. Part of the way our road is not even open. Nobody seems to be taking any action toward getting the 100 feet. Personally, we have spent considerable time and some little money getting information about the matter, have made some effort toward getting county action taken. Nobody locally seems to want to put up anything to keep up the effort.

So we had about decided to quit the subject entirely. It is no more to us than to any other property owner in or near Normangee. But we get a wind of another move that makes us say a word more. There is going to be a strong effort made to change the route of that road. Bryan and Madisonville are county sites. They want the road. Madison county commissioners court did not pass an order for 100 foot right of way. Do you see anything?

Midway seems to have done nothing. They would just as soon have that road routed through Madisonville. Crockett does not care. Caldwell does not care. It would mean just the same to all these places if it came through Bryan and Madisonville as if it remains through Normangee. If Normangee is willing to sit down and do nothing, it can very easily lose it. Yes, lose it. Lose it. The Star man owns some property in Normangee. Just a little more information and what we have is for sale. And a lot more of you will be seeking to do likewise.

If we get up and open that road. Open that road! Open that road 100 feet wide, and do it right now and take some other steps that will look like we intend to do something then our Normangee property is worth double what it is today. Normangee can be a town of 5,000. It can be blown away with a breath. Every property owner in town is deeply interested in the decision. Shall we keep the San Antonio road which the law gives us, or shall we bid it good-bye?—Normangee Star.

MRS. MARY EWING HAS METHODIST GROUP MEET

Group No. 3 of the Methodist Missionary Society met Monday with Mrs. Mary Ewing at 3:30 p. m. Nine members being present at this time. The group was pleased to have Mrs. Dick Fain with them. The devotional was led by Mrs. Mary Shelburne reading from Genesis. The regular lesson was then taken up and proved very interesting. The second chapter of "The Story of the Old Testament" was discussed. After the regular session, a social half-hour was enjoyed during which the hostess passed a refreshment plate of angel cake and strawberry ice cream. The present were: Mesdames W. E. Nealey, Mary Shelburne, C. B. Gardner, E. C. Harder, C. L. Eden, D. T. Fagan, Bessie Lawrence, B. T. Poole, Mary Ewing, Dick Fain and Cook. The group will meet with Mrs. Bessie Lawrence Monday, May 27.

Nature Thought of Everything

Nature thought of everything when the human body was made. When the body is about to become ill, nature sends out signals to warn us. Our children grind their teeth, they may have a cold, or lack appetite, or have abdominal pains, or itch about the nose and fingers, we should know that they may have contracted worms. Then, if we are wise, we buy a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge and safely and surely expel the worms. Thus we avoid the danger of very serious illness. White's Cream Vermifuge costs 35 cents a bottle, and can be bought from

ROMAN & VICK

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By Edson R. Waite

That the spirit of community loyalty of your newspapers makes them the bulwark between the business of your city and outside concerns.

That their spirit of community loyalty is your city's greatest asset.

That if it were not for them many people would trade with mail-order houses and go to neighboring cities, whose papers they read.

That your city would lose much business, and a loss of business would affect every citizen—directly or indirectly.

That in spite of the fact that home pride alone should be enough to make a man spend his money in the city that gives him a living, many men are so blinded that they go out of the way to spend money away from the home city.

To buy away from home helps build some other city.

To buy at home helps build your own home city. Why not build your own city first?

Chance for Prison Reform

Speaking of the prison bill, which is now in the hands of Governor Moody, the speaker said that it was the best that could be worked out after six years of effort along that line and that he believed if the governor would sign it developments might ultimately be to his liking.

The speaker intimated that if the governor took this action he would be in a position to name the special commission to examine the present state owned lands for prison purposes for a site for the proposed centralized prison. That this location would be found, he apparently thought improbable.

The net result, then would be for the prison board, supplemented by three members of the senate and five members of the house, to make a state wide survey—desired by the governor—for a site. This body, the speaker said, could report at a session which he expects the governor to call next winter and a policy along the line of that desired by the chief executive might be worked out.

Last Day's Work

The major achievement of the final day's session was the acceptance of a conference report on the general education bill. Before adjournment final action was taken also on the bill regulating barbers and on two bills by Mrs. Laura B. Negley exempting superintendents, nurses and matrons from the 9-5-4-hour labor law in charitable institutions other than those operated by the state.

Amendments placed on the barbers' regulatory bill by the senate and adopted by the house were to allow for nonissuance of licenses or renewal in case of habitual drug addicts.

The Graves trespass bill, making posting laws more stringent, also was made final by concurring in senate amendments.

A service flag of the Texas A. and M. College bearing 2,200 stars representing ex-students who served in the World War and fifty five gold stars for those that died in service was accepted by the house before adjournment. It was presented by President T. O. Walton. The A. and M. College contributed more men to the service

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Adults Contract Children's Diseases

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44TH SEASON AT ALLEN IS NEAR CLOSE

Diplomas Are To Be
Awarded Class of
42 Seniors

YEAR IS SUCCESSFUL

Commencement Next
Thursday At
Palace

Allen Academy's 44th annual commencement will be held beginning Saturday and the exercises will be completed Friday of next week when the final formation of the cadet corps will be held and the corps dismissed. A class of 42 students are in line for diplomas from the academy, the oldest preparatory boys school in Texas which is closing, according to N. B. Allen, one of the most successful years in its history.

Next Saturday evening at 6 o'clock a picnic luncheon will be given on the campus and awards will be made to members of the rifle and athletic teams who have been outstanding in their prowess. At 8 o'clock the annual declamation contest for the Davis and Henderson medals, given annually by Judge W. C. Davis and Hon. F. Law Henderson, will be held.

Sunday morning the baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Dr. E. M. Waits, president of Texas Christian University. This service will be held at the First Methodist church at 11 o'clock and the senior class will attend in a body.

Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock the final parade and review will be held, followed by a concert on the Academy lawn by the Allen band. At 8 o'clock Sunday night the final Y. M. C. A. meeting of the year will be held.

Monday, May 27, will be designated as Military Day. The annual contests will be held to determine the best drilled company, best drilled platoon and the best drilled individual in the corps.

Tuesday, May 28, final examinations of all undergraduates will be held.

On Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the senior reception will be held.

The annual graduation exercises will be held Thursday night, May 30, at 8 o'clock at the Palace theatre. The commencement address will be delivered by Dr. P. W. Horn, president of Texas Technological College and diplomas will be given all graduates.

Friday morning the final formation of the cadets for the year will be held and the corps will be for-

LIGHTNING KILLS STEELES STORE MAN

PATRONELLA HOME RAZED LAST NIGHT

FAMILY ESCAPES SHORTLY
BEFORE ROOF OF
HOUSE FALLS

Members of the Frank Patronella had a narrow escape from injury and possible death late Sunday night when the Patronella home on West 17th Street was almost totally destroyed by fire. The flames were discovered by neighbors, when the roof seemed to be one mass of flame, and the sleeping family was roused and escaped from the home shortly before the roof crashed in.

The fire, which is believed to have originated in the attic, completely gutted the home of which only the outer walls remain standing. The cause of the fire has not been determined.

The loss on the home, which formerly was the property of W. S. Eggs, and on the furnishings, which were practically a total loss, is estimated at approximately \$8,000. It is said insurance to cover about half the loss was carried.

State Head OES Here Saturday For Ceremonies

Bryan Chapter No. 22, Order of the Eastern Star, will entertain Mrs. Birdie J. Easterling of Del Rio, worthy grand matron of the Eastern Star in Texas, on Saturday night, May 25; according to an announcement made by Mrs. Jeanette L. Wright, worthy matron of the local chapter. A rehearsal of initiatory and other ceremonies is called for officers of Bryan Chapter on Tuesday evening at 7:30.

Mrs. Easterling will be the house guest of Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Brown at College Station over the weekend. Other officers of the Texas Grand Chapter also are expected to attend the meeting here on Saturday night.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

County Clerk Jess B. McGee issued marriage licenses Saturday to Ellie Johnson and Rosa Lee Wilson, and to Ed Smith and Ernestine Jackson.

mally dismissed.

All friends and patrons of the school are cordially invited to attend all the commencement functions.

Brazos Lagging On Good Roads Opines Madison

The State Highway department has advertised the letting of the contract for finishing the road from one mile west of Midway to the Trinity river. This contract is to be let on May 24th. This work will connect the road already built with the new river bridge that is now under construction at Clapps ferry. It is a piece of work that all Madison county has looked forward to with much interest for the past two years, and we are gratified that it is to be built in the near future, sometime this year.

There is only one thing now that looks bad, and that is that we have been unable to get Bryan and Brazos county to open up their end of the road from the Navasota river to Kurten. We have been talking to some of the leading citizens of Bryan recently and they seem to be awakening up to the fact that it is entirely possible for them to lose this road.

The opening of the Old San Antonio road will make an interstate highway almost parallel with this road, and when that is done highway 21 will be left with the bag to hold. This road misses Bryan about eight miles and also Madisonville about the same distance and if the cooperation of Bryan and Brazos county can not be had in opening the west end of the road, there is but one thing left for Madisonville to do, and that is to go after the Beaumont-Waco Air Line route through Madisonville to Wheelock and get our western outlet in that direction.

Madison county is anxious about this road, and had much rather that it go to Bryan on account of direct connection with the A. and M. College, but if Bryan and Brazos county will not do their part, we certainly do not propose to go into Brazos county and build their road for them. We have agitated this matter and some of their citizens have assured us that they are ready to give their assistance, but promises will not build or get anything. It is now time for action on this important matter.—Madison Meteor.

MADISONVILLE GETS NEW MODERN, BRICK HOTEL

MADISONVILLE, May 20.—One of the landmarks of Madisonville, the Brizolari hotel, a frame structure in the business section, was purchased by H. B. Houston. The building will be removed at an early date and tentative arrangements are being made by the owner for its replacement with a modern brick hotel.

School Head Chosen President of Lions



H. L. DURHAM
Genial superintendent of the Bryan public schools was chosen head of the local Lions Club today in the annual election of officers.

Bryan Young Man Weds Elgin Girl; Live at Houston

At a pretty marriage ceremony solemnized Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis at Elgin, their daughter, Miss Claudine Davis became the bride of Marvin E. Wallace Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dodson, pastor of the First Baptist church of Elgin was the officiating minister, and the ceremony was witnessed by many friends of the popular young couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wallace Jr. will make their home at Houston that city being business headquarters for Mr. Wallace who is with the Gulf Production Company in charge of a corps of men operating in the Seismograph department.

Sander's Trial And Execution Cost About \$200

According to County Judge A. S. McSwain the cost of the execution and burial of Matthew Sanders, negro, sentenced to death in the Brazos county court for criminal assault and electrocuted April 27, was slightly in excess of \$100.

The fee for the electrocution was \$25, which included the cost of current used to dispatch the negro, and the remaining items have to do with his burial at the Huntsville prison. The trial of Sanders, which occupied the better part of two days, is estimated have cost the county an additional \$100.

GROUP NO. 2 MET AT HOME OF MRS. E. J. JENKINS

The Methodist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon in groups with a good attendance.

Group No. 2 met in the home of Mrs. E. J. Jenkins with seven members, who were as follows: Mesdames S. E. Eberstadt, Josie Lawrence, Albert Hanneman, E. J. Jenkins, W. F. Gibbs and Miss Lillie Hall. The group was delighted to have with them on this occasion Mrs. L. H. Tucker who enrolled as a new member.

Mrs. Eberstadt presided over the meeting and after the devotional lesson which was taken from the 23rd Psalm and business interests were completed the group entered into the study and discussion of the second chapter in the Bible study course. Much interest is felt in the study of these lessons and it is hoped that much good will be gained on the part of each member in the study of this book.

The group adjourned to meet with Mrs. Albert Hanneman on college campus next Monday afternoon in the Voice program.

Highway Notes

"Road topping in Brazos county will begin immediately after some right of way has been secured between College and Navasota on highway No. 6," said Jno. E. Blair, division engineer, district No. 17.

Recently the highway commission appropriated \$40,000, approximately, to top highway No. 6 from College Station south to the hard surfaced road near Millican. When this road is completed it will then give the state a hard surfaced road from Bryan to Navasota. Engineer Blair hopes to have this work finished by August.

LOST.—Small Elgin pocket watch in St. Anthony's church, Sunday; belongs to Sister at Convent. PHONE 195.

The prohibition bureau investigated corn and grape sugar in an effort to discover to what use it is put. Just so they don't bother about the sugar for our coffee.

Calahan Veteran Of War Buried

Mrs. Floy Dansby returned today from Baird, where she was called on account of the death of her nephew, C. C. Seale Jr. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon and burial was at the Belleplaine cemetery nine miles south of Baird.

Rev. Willis P. Gerhardt, Abilene, conducted the funeral services and a lone bugler blew taps over the flower laden grave. Although one of the first men to answer his country's call in the World War and a veteran of several campaigns and due military and civilian honors, the services at the grave at the request of the family were quiet and simple.

C. C. Seale Jr., age 35, was Calahan county's most noted soldier. He was a typical soldier of fortune and had traveled practically all over the world. He was a lover of adventure and feared nothing. He enlisted in the United States Army to go to Mexico with Pershing's men, after which he entered the officers training camp and was commissioned an officer in the aviation corps.

Mr. Seale served considerable time as an aviator in France and saw active service on several fronts with both French and American units. After the World War he returned to Europe and served as an aviator with the Spanish army in the Morocco war.

Later he spent some time in Rumania as an oil specialist in drilling, working for the Standard Oil Company. His oil well experience was gained in West Texas in the days when Desdemona (Hog Creek) and other fields were in their prime.

After leaving Rumania he went to Algeria and returned to Texas suffering from tuberculosis as a result of his war experiences.

Mr. Seale was gassed in the World War. He also contracted the sleeping fever while in Europe and his condition made it necessary for him to spend considerable time in a hospital in Paris.

Mr. Seale won several citations both in the American and French army. He was well educated and had written numerous articles for newspapers and magazines. He was a charter member of Post No. 1 of the American Legion, Paris, France. A large number of legionaries and ex-service men attended the funeral.

BAPTIST YOUNG WOMEN BIBLE CLASS MEETING

The Young Women's Bible class of the First Baptist church met for its regular monthly business and social session at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Charlie Myers, with a good attendance. The president, Miss Sadie Hamilton, presided and the various committees made reports showing the class is doing a constructive work.

After business Mrs. Myers conducted an interesting program of entertainment. A course of delicious home made cake and ice cream was served. Those present were: Elizabeth Hunnicutt, Winnie Mae Cason, Maude Jones, May Sowaby, Sadie Hamilton, Pat Henry, Daisy Hicks, Mattie Blake, Mrs. Charlie Myers and Kathleen Cason.

Bryan School Boy Is Highly Praised

Jesse Gomez, pupil in the second grade of the Bowie elementary school was one of more than 2,000 Texas school children of all ages who submitted a fire prevention poster in the contest staged by the state insurance department.

Jesse did not win one of the 24 cash prizes, but he did get an honorable mention for his poster and J. W. DeWeese, state fire insurance commissioner, wrote him a letter, sent in care of Superintendent H. L. Durham to the effect that the poster was among the best entered.

FORMER CITY MANAGER SUNDAY VISITOR HERE

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McAdams of Waco spent several hours in Bryan Sunday visiting with their little daughter, Jean McAdams, and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Buchanan. They were accompanied by Mrs. McAdams' mother, Mrs. Richter of Waco, and were enroute home from Houston where they had been to attend the state meeting of the Texas League of Municipalities last week.

Mr. McAdams who was formerly city manager in Bryan and made his home here, was named president of the league for the coming year.

A Houston judge has ruled that young petters are within their rights when they park their cars along the road and douse the lights. But wait until he hits some unlighted road obstruction. Then he may reverse himself.

The net result of the special session of the legislature gives reason to believe that the state will be able to muddle along while the solons take a rest from contention and dispute.

CITY FIREMEN MEMORIALIZE DEAD FELLOWS

GRAVES OF THE DEPARTED
DECORATED WITH
FLOWERS

Members of the Bryan volunteer fire department followed their annual custom yesterday and decorated the graves of their dead comrades, who lie buried in Bryan cemetery. The present members of the department with arms filled with flowers, placed bouquets on the graves of each of the dead.

Firemen who died while in service and the dates of their deaths and whose graves were decorated were D. A. Bone, 1890; W. H. Elliott, 1894; C. A. Patterson, 1896; George Jenkins, 1902; Henry Rohde, 1903; Henry Spell, 1904; B. F. Leman, 1907; E. J. Ettle, 1910; G. M. Brandon, 1910; Joe Hearne Jr., 1915; George W. Smith Jr., 1920; A. K. Brown, 1929. Firemen who had seen 15 years of service and who died after retirement, and whose graves were decorated were J. W. Hamilton, 1926; A. E. Worley, 1928; W. J. Christian, 1928.

War Department Accepts Cadet Of A-M College

The appointment of Cadet Travis M. Hetherington of A. and M. College as a cadet to West Point Military Academy has been confirmed by the War Department.

Cadet Hetherington is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Hetherington of Reagan, Falls county. He was born and reared at Reagan, graduated from the Reagan high school and Tyler Commercial College, and for two years was employed by Lawrence Grocery Company of Bryan until his entry into A. and M. College of Texas last fall.

Early in the year Cadet Hetherington was appointed by former Congressman, now Senator, Tom Connally, as first alternate appointee, and when he reported at Fort Sam Houston for examination, found that the excellence of his grades at A. and M. College exempted him from the entrance examinations to West Point. A short time later his appointment was confirmed by the War Department, and he is to report July 1 at West Point, New York, to begin his work as a future general.

Commencement Plans Are Laid For High School

School days for the term of 1928-29 are numbered. Superintendent H. L. Durham has announced the speakers for the commencement exercises and programs for the various days of commencement week in Bryan are assuming shape.

Examinations for the senior class of Stephen F. Austin high school began Thursday and will continue into the coming week.

Regular examinations for the school begin next Friday, May 24th. Sunday, May 26th, will be commencement Sunday, with the baccalaureate sermon preached at 11 o'clock at the First Baptist church by Dr. T. C. Scores of St. Paul's Methodist church of Houston.

Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium will be held the city-wide graduation exercises for the seventh grade into high school.

Friday at 1:30 p. m. all students will report to their regular rooms in the various schools to receive their final report cards and certificates of promotion.

Friday night at 8 o'clock is the date for the graduating exercises to be held at the high school auditorium. Governor Dan Moody will be the commencement speaker.

Three Audiences Told About Free County Library

Mrs. Elon Stuart, president of the Brazos County Parent-Teacher Council, and Mrs. Helen L. Clutter of Austin, organizer of free county libraries, went to Wellborn school Friday afternoon in the interest of the movement to establish a Brazos County Free Library.

An enthusiastic audience made up of representatives from that section of Brazos county heard Mrs. Clutter explain the plan for the new library.

In the afternoon at 4 o'clock, Mrs. Clutter spoke again on the free county library at the auditorium at Carnegie library building, and Friday night, accompanied by Mrs. W. B. Cline went to the Rye school where she spoke again.

Allen Marksmen In Third Place For Hearst Cup

The rifle team of Allen Academy has won third place in the Western division of the William Randolph Hearst, according to word received this morning by Sergeant C. B. Jones, who trained the team, from the San Antonio Light.

The victory of the local team is the first registered by a Texas team in this competition, in which 35 teams, from as many different schools were entered.

The prize won by the Allen team, to be added to the many trophies garnered in the past by the boys of the oldest boys' preparatory school in Texas, will be presented on a special occasion to be planned and to be announced later.

Former Bryan Girl Now Visiting Here

Mrs. Harold Harkey and little son Harold Jr., of Crystal City, arrived in Bryan today for a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Suber and family and other relatives in this, her girlhood home, and with her mother, Mrs. P. L. Barron and family at Rock Prairie.

After a short visit in Bryan Mrs. Harkey will go to Belton to witness the graduation of her sister, Miss Eugenia Suber, a member of the 1929 class at Baylor College.

NEGRO SHOT DIES HERE

Colquitt Green, a negro boy living near Normangee was shot in the abdomen by the accidental discharge of a gun on Friday afternoon and died in a local hospital shortly after midnight this morning. He was out hunting with a party of other negro boys at the time of the accident and one of his companions accidentally fired the fatal shot.

Bryan Episcopalians Attend Houston Meet

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Daup, T. K. Lawrence, and Mrs. Jno. E. Astin of Bryan and Mrs. R. B. Marburger, Mrs. Mary Rich and Bill Darley, student of A. and M. College, all of College Station, went to Houston today to attend a meeting of the executive board of the Episcopal diocese of Texas.

Mrs. W. W. Daup is secretary of the women's executive board of the diocese of Texas, which is meeting at the same time.

The party expects to return to Bryan and College tonight. They made the trip by auto.

YOUNGBLOOD VISITS HERE

Dr. B. Youngblood, with the U. S. department of agriculture, and chief economist in experiment station work, who with Mrs. Youngblood has been spending some days on the A. and M. College campus gathering together all their belongings to send to Washington, D. C., where they will be permanently located, left last night for Fayetteville, Ark. Mrs. Youngblood will remain in College until Monday.

Dr. Youngblood was formerly director of the Experiment Station A. and M. College and through his direction research work in Texas got a new impetus that has made it known and valued by more people. With his work now, his field is the United States and unlimited.

Both Dr. and Mrs. Youngblood are much pleased with Washington, D. C.

Initiation Rites Bryan K. C. Are Staged Sunday

The Bryan Council Knights of Columbus initiated 25 candidates on Sunday afternoon with some 150 members and visitors from Hearne, Cameron, Lyons and Caldwell present.

Work in the first and second degrees was conducted by the local degree team composed of V. J. Vitopil, H. B. McDowell, M. F. Vitopil, Wm. Opersterny, Joe Valouch and Steve Konecny assisted by A. D. Price of Palestine. The third degree work was put on by a team from Palestine composed of E. M. Burns, J. K. Thornton, A. W. Carter, George Bissony, Richard Nosse and George Lorma, under the direction of District Deputy V. J. O'Leary of Marshall, assisted by August Kuntz of Cameron.

Other visitors included District Deputy J. D. Gleason of Beaumont and District Deputy Cleo Calhoun of El Paso.

Following the initiatory ceremonies, a barbecue supper was enjoyed on the lawn of the parochial school adjoining St. Joseph's Catholic church where informal talks were made by Father J. B. Gleissner and the visiting officers.

The Aggies may have a baseball team but it seems to suffer from an inferiority complex when the yellow coated bunch from Austin trots out on the field.

TRENTACOST IS HIT WHILE IN DOORWAY

Dies Before Medical
Aid Reaches Him
From Bryan

RAINFALL IS HEAVY

Northwest Texas Is
Damaged By Storm
Last Night

(From Saturday's Daily)

The electrical and heavy rain storm that struck Bryan this morning about 10 o'clock, and that was noted in other sections of the county took the toll of one life, a Steele's Store resident who was killed by a bolt of lightning.

Frank Trentacost, an Italian, and life long resident of that community was struck while standing in the doorway of his store and knocked unconscious and bleeding to the floor. He died before medical aid that had been summoned could reach him.

The storm this morning broke about 10 o'clock from a mass of lowering clouds that filled the sky to the west and northwest and until noon the rainfall measured 1.43 inches. The storm that was felt here last night about 24 hours before the rain of this morning, was accompanied by a heavy rain and the precipitation was recorded at 1.03 inches making a total of 2.45 for little more than a 24-hour period.

Doctor Is Marooned

When Trentacost was struck other persons in the store at the time felt no ill effects from the bolt. A call was at once sent to Bryan for Dr. B. U. Sims, but when he arrived on the scene he found Trentacost dead. The doctor found himself marooned for a time at the store, on account of the heavy rainfall that had overflowed the roads and made them impassable for the time being.

Trentacost is survived by his wife and several children. His family also included two children of his brother, who was killed some months ago by being struck on the head by a baseball during a game played at the Steele's Store community.

The rain this morning overflowed the streets, overtaxing the drainage facilities of the city's storm sewer system and children went wading in all sections and even donned bathing suits, as did Carrol Marcus and J. C. Mike, who went swimming in North Main.

LIGHT LINES DOWN

Three electric light lines in the city were temporarily put out of commission last night. Sections of 17th street, 24th street and College avenue were in darkness about 10 o'clock when lines were blown down by the storm that was at its height here at about that hour.

Trees and shrubbery suffered some damage from the wind that accompanied the rain and Walter Vance, living on 17th street, lost a cow by electrocution.

The animal was staked out for the night on the yard and the electric line that went down in that section last night fell across the chain by which the animal was secured and it was killed by the current.

HIGH WIND AT PROSPECT

In the Prospect community, according to a report from D. J. McDonald, a cyclone in miniature, but of enough force to work considerable damage, struck shortly after 9 o'clock last night. Trees were blown down and some farm buildings were unroofed. No damage was done to live stock, so far as is known, and no residents suffered injury.

Damage to crops is as yet unestimated. Mr. McDonald said some of his corn, about five feet tall, had been blown flat and that he was afraid that it could not be straightened up and that it would be a complete loss.





Superior Figs Now Enjoyed by Baptist Pastor

Rev. R. E. Day is exhibiting with much pride a sample of Smyrna figs now ripening on two trees in the yard at the First Baptist parsonage on West 26th Street.

The Smyrna is a choice variety commonly known as the small blue fig, yet this year's crop on Dr. Day's trees are about as large as the ordinary Magnolia, which is a larger and less choice variety as to flavor and texture. Another unusual thing about the fruit that Rev. Day is now enjoying with cream each morning at breakfast time, is that they have matured from the figs that set on the trees before the leaves made their appearance, and this crop of fruit usually sheds and does not ripen according to Rev. Day.

SEVERAL PRICES THAT PROVE THE SAVING ACORN STORES OFFER

Not for a Day—But Every Day Acorn Quality is Dependable and Savings Certain
for Thrifty Shoppers

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|  <p>A large showing of Cannon Bath Towels— 25c</p> | <p>Full yard wide Prints in fast color shades— 22c-39c</p> |  <p>Beautiful Ruffled Curtains with valance to match— 98c-\$1.89</p> |
| <p>Ladies Silk Hose, silk from top to toe— 89c</p> | <p>Cretonne in a variety of shades— 13c to 35c</p> | <p>Fancy Sox, checks, stripes, plaids, all colors— 25c</p> |
|  <p>Yard wide Indian Head in printed and solid colors— 39c</p> | <p>Party Frocks—for evening—for afternoon or for other occasions— \$14.95</p> | <p>Dress Shirts, attached collar, colors guaranteed— 98c</p> |
| <p>Beautiful Water Sets, green and rose Marie— 98c</p> | <p>House Dresses, a wonderful value, see these at— \$1.75</p> |  <p>Purses, Bags—Ladies tooled leather bags and purchase with vanity and change— \$2.98</p> |
| <p>Set of large Dinner Plates, white— 59c</p> | <p>Dance Sets—figured pattern, brassiere and shorts— 98c</p> | <p>Mavis large size Talcum Powder— 19c</p> |
| <p>Set of six Cups and Saucers— 59c</p> | <p>Handsome Rayon Step-Ins— 95c</p> | |
| <p>7 foot Window Shades in Duplex— 72c</p> | | |
| <p>Water Glasses, 6 for— 19c</p> | | |

The ACORN STORE
ALWAYS
DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE

BETTER ROADS NEEDED SAYS BRYAN C OF C

Committee Waits On County Court Today

THANK ETEX WORKERS

Business Men Asked To Attend Drills At Allen

Good roads for Brazos county and their importance in developing both the agricultural and commercial institutions and resources of the section and of Bryan were generally discussed at the weekly meeting of the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce this morning. The directors were unanimous in their opinion that good, all-weather roads were necessary and also for the need of an organized campaign to bring about this improvement.

The matter is one that will be studied by the local organization, it is said, with a view to working out some plan whereby this county will be able to take its place alongside other counties of East Texas that have built and are building modern highways.

Call on County Court

During the discussion E. E. Yeager, chairman of the trade extension committee, called attention to the present condition of the Ferguson Crossing and Mumford roads and their importance as feeders to Bryan. As a result a committee of some twenty business men and directors will call on the county commissioners court today to ask for some improvement in these roads.

The commencement exercises at Allen Academy, to start Saturday, were called to the attention of the meeting, and Secretary S. E. Eberstadt was instructed by the directors to call all members of the organization and other business men, to ask them particularly to attend the military exercises which would be held to determine the best drilled cadet in the academy corps, to whom the chamber of commerce awards a medal each year.

The request of Mrs. A. S. McSwain for the endorsement of the chamber of commerce annual poppy sale that will be held Saturday by the Auxiliary to the American Legion was granted, a motion to that effect carrying.

Formal thanks to General Chairman E. H. Astin, committee chairman and members and to all other men and women of Bryan who worked for the success of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce convention was expressed in a letter, which was as follows:

To Hon. E. H. Astin, General Chairman, all Committee Chairmen and members, and all citizens of Bryan, College and Brazos County, who assisted in preparing for and entertaining the East Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention, May 15th, 16th and 17th, 1929;

Your efforts made it possible for our city to successfully handle the entertainment of the greatest convention of its history. Bryan has received publicity that can hardly be estimated in money value. By story, news item and picture, the Bryan spirit has been told to Texas and especially East Texas, and we will profit as a city for years to come because you helped.

Ever since the convention closed, letters have been coming to us from all parts of the state congratulating the people of Bryan upon the handling of this convention. We are known as a city that does things in a big way. Friendships have been formed thru-out East Texas that will mean much to us in the future.

The Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce asks that you accept this letter as a personal expression of its thanks and appreciation for the work you did so unselfishly and for the good of our city and county. You did your part and you deserve and have our highest commendation.

Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce,

By Oak McKenzie
H. O. Ferguson
F. L. Cavitt
J. Bryan Miller
N. B. Allen
Wilson Bradley

Directors present at the meeting were N. B. Allen, Wilson Bradley, F. L. Cavitt, H. O. Ferguson, W. L. McMillen, J. Bryan Miller, J. D. Martin, M. L. Parker, A. M. Waldron, D. L. Wilson and E. E. Yeager. Vice-president Wilson presided in the absence of President J. Webb Howell.

A school teacher was very much annoyed by the continued misbehavior of one of her boys. At last she exclaimed in exasperation, "I wish I could be your mother for just about one week."

"Very well, I will speak to father about it," responded the youngster coolly. —Texas Ranger.

Cost of Marriage Will Be Boosted As New Law Goes In Effect June 12

Those with the well known Scotch inclination of frugal expenditures who contemplate taking on the matrimonial yoke had better do so before June 12 because on that date the price of marriage will be boosted at least 100 fold and possibly more.

The increase in the initial cost of marriage will be brought about by the operation of the new marriage license law enacted by the forty-first legislature which, in addition to hiking the price, also makes necessary the filling out of numerous legal blanks.

Should either of the contracting parties be impatient to launch a craft on the sea of matrimony also the affair should be "pulled" before June 12. After that date the prospective bride and groom will have to post a declaration of "intention to marry and the marriage license will not be forthcoming until the affidavit has been on file for three days.

The law, in brief, provides that: An application for marriage license must be filed by both man and woman three days before the license is issued. The man also must file a physician's certificate showing the applicant to be in good physical condition before the license can be issued.

Supplies for operation under the new law have been ordered by County Clerk Jess B. McGee, but he said today he had not been notified as to the legal charge for filing the various papers. It has been suggested that the charge would be at least 50 cents and that

a charge of this amount might be made for filing each of the three documents required to secure a marriage license. Then the fee for securing the marriage license (the real thing) is \$1.50 and this will not be changed. In addition the prospective groom must pay for his physical examination and the charge for this probably will range from \$2 to \$5.

So at the beginning of the marriage at least it will be the man "who pays, and pays, and pays."

A sample of the application for marriage license, made out in John Doe form, follows:

"State of Texas, County of Brazos. Before me, the undersigned authority on this day personally appeared John Doe who upon oath deposes and says he is 21 years of age and resides in Bryan 1313 Friday Street, Brazos county, Texas, and further declares he has executed this affidavit for the purpose of securing a marriage license in not less than three nor more than 30 full days from the date hereof and declaring his intention to marry Miss Ima Phool as required by articles 4604-A and 6404-B, acts of the Forty-first Legislature, provided the certificate required by article 6404-C is filed and such other affidavits as the law may direct are executed. There are no legal objections to the marriage."

This must be signed and sworn to before the county clerk or his deputy and then in the parlance of the ring, the challenger must retire to his corner and wait more or less patiently, until three days passes before the gong rings for the beginning of the first round.

Cotton Insects Busy, According To Late Report

Latest reports on boll weevil infestation from the Division of Entomology A. and M. College, Dr. F. L. Thomas, chief, are as follows: Hidalgo County, May 18: The boll weevil infestation near Weslaco is less than one-half of one per cent. One thousand squares were examined.

Nueces County, May 17: In February planted cotton 58 plants occupying 30 feet of row contained only 120 forms. Other early planted cotton in this territory shows signs of flea hopper injury but the damage has lessened considerably and in most fields the plants are putting on squares.

In cotton plantings which occur near mesquite boll weevils are causing squares to shed. On one farm near Corpus Christi poisoning will begin this week.

A few squares showed injury by the cotton boll worms. Such injury as early as this is a little unusual in cotton.

Williamson County, May 18: There is no infestation of flea hoppers in the vicinity of Taylor and Fretto.

Mumford Teacher Is County Agent Johnson County

Bryan friends regret to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Dixon L. Turner are leaving soon to make their home at Grandbury. Mr. Turner has been appointed county agent for the Extension Service in Johnson county and will enter upon his new duties June 1. As principal of the schools at Mumford for the past three years, Mr. Turner has made an enviable record in school affairs in this county and is a young educator of more than usual promise. The best wishes of a wide circle of friends will go with Mr. and Mrs. Turner and their two little daughters to their new home.

Schools of Bryan Are Given Honor

Superintendent of Schools H. L. Durham received a letter this morning from the State Department of Education, Austin, stating that the Bryan public schools had received a unit of affiliation in general science, without submitting any materials.

The state inspector, Miss Ladis, visited the Bryan schools officially some weeks ago, inspected work and held a conference with the teacher, Miss Julia Southern. This letter of special announcement today comes as a result of her inspection at that time. This is an honor for Bryan schools greatly appreciated by all concerned.

WILL REBIND SCHOOL BOOKS

All books in the county and city schools that are in need of rebinding are being gathered up this week by representatives of the state department of education and will be rebound and made ready for use at the fall term of school. It is said that the life of the average school book is four years.

FUNERAL FOR HENRY INFANT

Funeral services were held this morning at 11 o'clock at Alexander cemetery, in the northern part of the county, for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Henry of Tabor community. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lindsey of Bryan, relatives of Mrs. Henry, attended the funeral.

DOCKET FIXED FOR FELONIES PRESENT TERM

JUDGE W. C. DAVIS SETS DOWN CASES WITH 19 DEFENDANTS

Fifteen defendants in felony cases will be called for trial in the present term of district court, in addition to Bob Silver and his three companions, whose cases are set down for Thursday, June 6. These cases all were set down by Judge W. C. Davis yesterday.

Next week the following cases will be brought to trial, according to present plans: Monday, May 27, Bill Nichols, charged with the theft of more than \$50; W. H. Killeth, charged with forgery and passing; Jesse Castillion, charged with rape and for whose trial a special venire of 40 men has been ordered; J. L. Gauze, charged with forgery and passing; Archie Lightfoot, charged with assault to commit murder. Tuesday, May 28, Jim White, charged with the possession of intoxicating liquors.

The docket for the following week is as follows: June 3, Patty Vaughan, charged with selling intoxicants; John Worthington, charged with selling intoxicants; June 4, Sam Nuche, charged with the possession of intoxicating liquor; June 5, Ada Bell Hines, Lizzie Williams, Willie Williams and P. D. Hines, all charged with manufacturing and possession of intoxicants; Henry Maleskie, charged with manufacture and possession.

On the following Monday, June 11, Henry Walker, negro, will be brought to trial on a murder charge.

IMPROVED

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to be heard in Texas. Wheat there, except in the northwest portion, is reported heading.

From Texas the work will spread rapidly north. W. A. Murphy, state labor commissioner from Oklahoma, after a survey, reported the harvest will begin a few days late because of a backward spring, but that the middle of June will see many operations.

Today railway repair shops hum with activity as strenuous effort is made to put every possible car into usable condition. As fast as the cars are repaired they are moved into producing sections.

Despite the heavy concentration of rolling stock, Governor Clyde M. Reed, of Kansas, is apprehensive of the situation. He has predicted the greatest transportation problem since 1922. Farmers of the northwest have been urged by the Kansas governor to prepare additional storage facilities on their farms.

Harry B. Cordel, president of the Oklahoma State Board of Agriculture, takes a more optimistic view of the situation, saying that many empty box cars are expected soon to appear on railway sidings. He admits, however, that enough cars to take care of the crop will not be available immediately, and that much wheat must of necessity be dumped in huge piles on the ground.

Little difficulty is expected in Texas by H. H. Schultz, statistician for the United States Department of Agriculture. Available room for 27,000,000 bushels is expected by Mr. Schultz to be ample.

Surveys prove conclusively that more combines will be used in the Southwest this year than ever before.

A classified ad in the Eagle will get quick results.

Boys' And Girls' Club Department

Club Notes and Farm News by County Agent C. L. Beason and Home Demonstration Agent Lucy Cline

Remembers Part Help

Howard Smith, formerly a student in Tabor high school but now a sophomore in Baylor, is appreciative of help rendered him in years gone by saying in his fine letter of May 18, "I shall always feel grateful to you, Mr. Beason, for the part you have had in my journalistic experience. I now write editorials for the Daily Lariat, and was on the staff of the Daily Waco American until it suspended publication." Howard has always been interested in Extension Service activities, and he thinks the A. and M. Short Course furnishes invaluable help to all farmers who attend.

4-H Club Objectives

The National Boys' and Girls' Club News quotes Dean W. C. Coffey of Minnesota as saying, "The rural youth are the key to a better agriculture," and offers the following as objectives for 4-H Clubs: "1. A 4-H Club opportunity to every boy and girl. 2. To build confidence in the farm business. 3. To teach thrift as a worthwhile habit. 4. To develop leadership in rural communities. 5. To teach principles of good citizenship."

Club Girl Honored

Ethel Mangis, president of the King's Highway 4-H Club has just received notice that her club story, featuring the achievements of Alma Kindt's club activities, has won second place in the United States. In addition to this high honor the victory carries with it a cash prize of \$15.

Carelessness Costs Pigs

Walter Lawless of Kurten reports that he has a brood sow which farrowed 18 pigs. Eight of the pigs were killed as a result of sow being permitted to farrow on plank floor. These 18 pigs could have easily set a new record in the ton litter contest.

Enroll Now

Final enrollment of club members will be sent in on June 1. So this is to remind you that you should not overlook a "good bet."

Fertilizer Demonstrations

Notwithstanding excessive rains, the fertilizer demonstrations are showing up fine where the crops are kept clean. Of course, weeds and grass destroy the effectiveness of any fertilizer. They pretty nearly put crop production

Hale Co. Bankers Aid Development In Farm Industry

County Agent C. L. Beason has written a number of letters to county agents in other counties where considerable progress has been made in establishing the dairy industry, and where reports show that a profit is being realized by the farmers who have undertaken to carry on dairy work as well as to the business interests involved.

A letter from R. M. Milhollin, county agent in Hale county, is as follows:

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